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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)  
740819-408CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR  
TRANSMISSION  
[37 CFR 1.8(a)]

In re Application of Hiroaki NAKAOKA et al.

Application Number 09/640,519

Filed August 17, 2000

For METHOD OF FABRICATING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

Group Art Unit 2818

Examiner David VU

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) - (\$55/\$110)
- ☐ Two month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) - (\$205/\$410)
- ☒ 3<sup>rd</sup> month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) - (\$465/\$930)
- ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) - (\$725/\$1450)
- ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) - (\$985/\$1970)
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 19-2380. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor

- ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
- ☒ attorney or agent of record.

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) \_\_\_\_\_

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May 9, 2003

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Donald R. Studebaker  
Signature

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Typed or printed name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

☐ Total of \_\_\_\_\_ forms are submitted.

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